

How to help at home

- Read with your child regularly.
- Take part in one-minute maths every week.
- Encourage children to use their phonics to sound out unfamiliar words & their memory for high frequency words
- Ask questions about what they have read to check their understanding, e.g. what do you think might happen next?
- Support your child with learning their weekly spellings using the 'Look, Cover, Write, Check' method
- Practice number bonds to 10 and 20
- Practise counting on from 10 and 20
- Practise counting to 100, crossing the 10s
- Practice counting in 2s, 10s and 5s
- Encourage activities that involve measures – length & weight

Teaching team: Mrs Messenger, Mrs Mann, Mrs Walter and Mrs Catlin.

Useful Websites

- <https://home.oxfordowl.co.uk/reading/reading-schemes-oxford-levels/read-write-inc-phonics-guide/>
- <https://www.rmeasimaths.com>
- <http://www.phonicsplay.co.uk>
- <https://www.mymaths.co.uk/>
- <http://www.ictgames.com/resources.html>
- <https://www.espresso.co.uk/online/>

Hughenden Primary School



'Enrich, Empower, Ignite'

Curriculum Information – Summer Term 2025

Year 2

Dear Parents & Children,

This leaflet gives a brief outline of the knowledge and skills being learned in the curriculum in your class this term.

English.

During our English Lessons, we will be focusing on:

- Write for different purposes – fiction and non-fiction
- Use spoken language to develop understanding through imagining and exploring ideas
- Develop a creative response to the text
- Performing poetry.
- Cementing Year 2 spellings and writing skills.
- Developing sentence structure using a range of conjunctions (simple/compound/complex).
- Using a variety of punctuation (comma, question mark, exclamation mark, possessive apostrophe)

Maths

The children will focus on the following topics:

- Fractions
- Time
- Statistics
- Position and direction

Science

The children will focus on the following topics:

- Food chains
- Living things and where they live.

In the rest of the curriculum we will be focussing on the following key skills:

Art & Design	Painting and mixed Media
PE	Athletics
Geography	Cold places: where are they and what are they like?
History	Significant individuals who changed Britain: how did they fight for change?
RE	How do some people talk to God? Investigating why some people pray, children identify similarities and differences between prayer practices
PSHE	Safety: Understand what a secret is and what a surprise is. Understand how to keep safe near roads. Explain the rules for crossing the road. Understand when we should take medicines that can help us feel better when we are unwell.
Outdoor learning	Seasons and sculptures.
Music	Playing the ukulele to prepare for a performance. Rockpool rock- rock and roll using percussion instruments.